





# THE DAILY COMMONWEALTH.

FRANKFORT, MONDAY, JAN. 31, 1848.

## KENTUCKY LEGISLATURE.

### IN SENATE.

SATURDAY, Jan. 29, 1848.

The Senate was opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. WATERMAN, of the Methodist Church. Journal read by the Clerk.

Mr. McMILLAN presented the annual report of the Superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum, and accompanying documents; ordered to be printed, and appropriately referred.

#### Reports from Standing Committees.

Mr. CRENSHAW, from the Committee on the Judiciary, a bill for the benefit of Polly Garrett; read and passed.

Also, a bill to extend the jurisdiction of the Police Judge of Hopkinsville; read and passed.

Mr. PATTERSON, from the same Committee, a bill for the benefit of the heirs of Sarah Roberts and Pricey Brown dec'd of Caldwell county; read and passed.

Also, a bill to extend the limits of the town of Mortonsville, in Woodford county, and for other purposes; read and passed.

The following message from the Governor was received, and the rules requiring it to lie on the table one day being suspended, the nominations were confirmed:

#### Gentlemen of the Senate:

I nominate for your advice and consent: James R. Burns, to be Commissioner of Deeds, &c., for Kentucky in the State of Louisiana.

Henry M. Alexander, to be Commissioner of Deeds, &c., for Kentucky, in the State of New York.

WM. OWSLEY.

Mr. WALKER, from the committee on Propositions and Grievances, a bill changing the name of Joseph Decret, of Clarke county, to that of Joseph Decre; read and passed.

Also, a bill to provide for running and establishing the line between the counties of Livingston and Crittenden, and for other purposes; read and passed.

Mr. BOYD, from the committee on Religion, a bill for the benefit of the Church of Christ at Chenoweth run in Jefferson county; read and passed.

Mr. J. SPEED SMITH, from the committee on Internal Improvement, a bill incorporating a company to construct a turnpike road from Frankfort to Lexington; read and passed.

Mr. BRADLEY, from the committee on Enrollments, reported certain bills correctly enrolled.

A message from the House, by the Clerk, announcing the passage of certain bills, &c.

#### Reports from Select Committees.

Mr. HOBBS, a bill to incorporate the Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church South; read a second time and referred to the Judiciary committee.

Also, a bill to incorporate the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of Kentucky; read a second time, and referred to the Judiciary committee.

Also, a bill to run and mark part of the line between the counties of Jefferson and Shelby; read and passed.

Leave was given to introduce the following bills: To Mr. McMILLAN, a bill to incorporate a company to construct a turnpike road from Washington to Murphysville, in Mason county; referred.

To Mr. BOYD, a bill to incorporate a company to construct a turnpike road from Flemingsburg to Mt. Carmel; referred.

To Mr. SWOPE, a bill for the benefit of the heirs of Hubbard Smith, dec'd; referred.

To Mr. RICE, a bill for the benefit of J. P. Richards, of Carter county; referred.

To Mr. J. SPEED SMITH, a bill to incorporate a company to construct a turnpike road from Clark's run to Salt river; referred.

Mr. McNARY offered a resolution instructing the Judiciary committee to enquire into the expediency of amending the law to regulate the administration and settlement of estates, approved Feb. 20th, 1829, which was adopted.

Mr. HOBBS had the unanimous consent of the Senate to present the petition of sundry citizens of Jefferson county, praying an amendment to the road laws of said county; appropriately referred.

Mr. HAMBLETON had the unanimous consent of the Senate to present a petition, which was appropriately referred.

#### Special order of the Day.

Preamble and resolutions from the House, in relation to the late Gen. John Caldwell, Lieut. Governor of Kentucky, were read and adopted. They are as follows:

WHEREAS, It is represented to the present General Assembly, that General John Caldwell, a meritorious officer of the Revolution and an active and efficient officer in the Indian Wars of the West; who departed this life on the 19th of November, 1804, while presiding over the Senate as Lieut. Governor of Kentucky, is buried at the base of the hill near the Penitentiary, and that the monument erected to his memory by the Commonwealth of Kentucky in pursuance of an act of the General Assembly approved January 19th, 1831, has been much broken and mutilated by wanton and mischievous persons, and by the sliding down of the earth and stone from the hill upon his grave; and whereas, the Commonwealth of Kentucky has at all times honored and testified her gratitude to her illustrious dead who die in her service and preserved their graves from desecration. Therefore,

Resolved by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, That his Excellency, the Governor, be and he is requested to have the remains of Gen. John Caldwell, removed and interred in the State's portion of the Frankfort Cemetery, together with the monument heretofore erected by the State, and to have the said monument and the inscriptions thereon suitably repaired and restored.

Resolved further, That the Governor be authorized to draw upon the Agent and Keeper of the Penitentiary for any labor or materials necessary for the purposes above mentioned, and by his warrant such sums as may be necessary to carry the foregoing resolutions into effect.

#### Orders of the Day.

Various bills from the House had their first and second readings and were appropriately referred. On motion, the Senate adjourned.

### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SATURDAY, Jan. 29, 1848.

The House was opened with prayer, by the Rev. Mr. GOODMAN, of the Baptist Church. Journal read by the Clerk.

Petitions were presented by Messrs. Bowen, Cavan, Bourland, Miller and Lightfoot, which were appropriately referred.

Mr. SPEED was excused from serving on the apportionment committee, and Mr. J. Brown was placed upon the committee in his stead.

#### Reports from Standing Committees.

Mr. BERRY, a bill authorizing the county of Woodford to lay an additional levy on slaves for the

purpose of paying an efficient patrol; read and passed.

Mr. BARLOW, a bill for the benefit of John B. Embury; read and passed.

Mr. COLEMAN, a bill to increase the jurisdiction of the Trustees of the town of Carrollton; read and passed.

Mr. J. BROWN, a bill to reduce the number of Grand Jurors; read, when

Mr. ELLIOTT moved to amend by making the finding of ten necessary for a presentment.

Mr. WINTERSMITH was in favor of the amendment but would like to have the number reduced to nine.

Mr. SPEED thought there could not be a reduction below twelve, without conflicting with the constitution.

Mr. MOORE thought the reduction might conflict with the constitution, and he therefore was opposed to the bill. He discussed the bill at length.

Mr. TOWLES was opposed to the bill upon the same grounds of the gentleman from Louisville, (Mr. Speed.)

The bill was then committed to the committee on the Judiciary.

A message from the Senate announcing the passage of certain bills, &c.

Mr. BAILEY, a bill to incorporate the Phi. Mu. Society of Shelby College; read and passed.

Mr. TOWLES, a bill for the benefit of the Mechanics of the town of Newport; read and passed.

Also, a bill to amend an act incorporating the Falmouth Bridge Company; read and referred.

Mr. PRICE, a bill to change the time of holding the Court of Appeals to April and October; read and referred.

Mr. BOULWARE had leave of absence for three days.

Mr. McKINNEY of the committee on Enrollments, made a report.

Mr. HAMILTON, a bill for the benefit of Clement Conner, late Sheriff of Montgomery county; read.

Mr. HAMILTON made a statement of the case and the bill was then passed.

Mr. ELLIOTT, a bill to incorporate the town of Pikeeton, in the county of Pike, and for other purposes; read and passed.

Mr. BLANTON, a bill for the benefit of the late Sheriff and his deputies, of Owen county; read and passed.

Mr. HAGGARD, a bill for the benefit of Joseph Riddle, of Cumberland county; read and passed.

Mr. QUARLES, a bill to incorporate the town of Ringgold, in Pulaski county; read and passed.

Mr. M. E. WHITE, a bill to legalize the proceedings of the Whitley County Court, in relation to the appointment of Jailers; read and passed.

Mr. BERRY, a bill to incorporate the Pisgah Church in the county of Woodford; read and passed.

Mr. HENDERSON, a bill in relation to the vacant lands in Wayne county, and for other purposes; read and passed.

Mr. HANSON, a bill to amend the charter of the Paris Fire Company; read and passed.

Mr. ALLIN, a bill for the benefit of the Taylor Guards Company, of Mercer county; read and passed.

Mr. HANSON, a bill giving the Sheriff of Bourbon county further time to collect his delinquent list of musters fines, &c.; read and

Mr. BUSH moved to amend, by adding the Sheriff of Clarke and Lincoln counties, &c.

Mr. PRICE moved to amend the amendment by adding Fayette county; accepted—the amendment was adopted, and the bill was then passed.

Mr. ALLIN, against the petition of sundry citizens of Lincoln county; concurred in.

Mr. JOHNSTON, a substitute for the bill to increase the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace; read.

Mr. JOHNSTON thought the substitute obviated many of the objections that were urged against the bill. It would save expenses and expedite the collection of debts; it simplified the proceedings, and would save expenses to both parties to suits. He was in favor of its being adopted.

Mr. HAGGARD said similar propositions had been before the Legislature for the last four years. Justices of the Peace had already too much power, and he would diminish, rather than increase their jurisdiction. He moved to lay the substitute and bill on the table.

The yeas and nays being called, the motion was carried: 43 to 35.

Mr. SPEED, a bill concerning the trustees of the Jury Fund; read and referred.

Mr. GARNETT, a bill to complete the turnpike road from Danville to Springfield; read and referred.

Mr. HUGHES, a bill to enlarge the powers of the trustees of the town of Uniontown, in Union county; read and passed.

Also, a bill to amend the Charter of the Henry Clay Institute, in Union county; read and passed.

Also, a bill to amend an act entitled, an act to incorporate the Union White Sulphur Springs Company, &c.; read and passed.

Also, a bill to amend an act to enlarge the powers of the trustees of the town of Morganfield, and for other purposes; read and referred.

#### Call of the Counties.

Leave was granted to bring in the following bills: To Mr. DOHONEY, a bill to amend the Jury law; referred.

To Mr. BOURLAND, a bill to amend an act to regulate the settlement of estates; referred.

Also moved to take up out of the orders of the day, a Senate bill to amend the act incorporating the town of Paducah; carried; and the bill was taken up, read and referred.

To Mr. WILLIAMS, a bill for the benefit of Jno. W. Hazleridge; referred.

To Mr. WOOSLEY, a bill declaring the Indian Camp Creek, a navigable stream for a certain distance.

Also, a bill declaring Welch creek navigable, &c.; referred.

To Mr. HAGGARD, a bill for the benefit of the Sheriff of Cumberland county; referred.

To Mr. WALL, a bill to legalize the election of the Trustees of Owensboro; referred.

Also, a bill to legalize the publication of the Green River Whig, and authorizing the publication of chancery notices therein; referred.

To Mr. COCKRILL, a bill for the benefit of D. Snowden, of Owsley county; referred.

Also, a bill to change the time of holding the Es-till County Court; referred.

To Mr. ELLIOTT, a bill for the benefit of David Robinson, of Pike county; referred.

Also, a bill for the benefit of Thomas Haenker; referred.

To Mr. SMITH, a bill for the benefit of the Sheriff, Clerk and Jailor of Garrard county; referred.

To Mr. EAKER, a bill to legalize an act of the Graves county court; referred.

Mr. ABELL offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to enquire into the propriety and expediency of passing a bill better to protect the interest of Infant heirs to real estate, so as to save lands from waste until such time as a division may be had, and Guardians be appointed.

To Mr. WINTERSMITH, a bill to amend the Execution law; referred.

Also, offered the following, which was adopted.

Resolved, That the 2d Auditor be requested to fur-

nish to this House, a tabular statement of all the slaves in each county, in each year, from 1840 to 1847 inclusive.

To Mr. MOORE, a bill for the benefit of Rufus Lane, of Hart county; referred.

Mr. TOWLES offered the following, which was adopted.

Resolved, That the committee of Internal Improvement be instructed to enquire into the expediency and propriety of abolishing the present organization of the Board of Internal Improvement, and devolving the duties now performed by it, on the 1st Auditor of public accounts.

Mr. COLLINS offered the following, which was adopted.

Resolved, That the 1st Auditor report to this House the condition of the Old Bank of Kentucky as it relates to the amount collected and not paid over to those entitled thereto, by the late agent, the sufficiency and liability of his securities, in short, to make a full and clear exposure of the condition of said institution, with a view to close finally and speedily all its concerns.

Also, to change the name of Henry Moore Henry; referred.

To Mr. HARRIS, a bill to establish an additional precinct in the county of Meade; referred.

To Mr. COLEMAN, a bill for the benefit of Willis Hamilton; referred.

To Mr. HAMILTON, a bill for the benefit of William G. Jackson and David Tate; referred.

Also offered the following, which was adopted.

Resolved, That the committee on the Library be instructed to enquire into the propriety of appropriating the sum of — dollars annually, for the purchase of books for the State Library, in this Capitol.

To Mr. SHORT, a bill to levy a specific tax on old hatches over thirty, the proceeds to be applied for the support of indigent widows and orphans, and for other purposes; referred to Messrs. Short, Wintersmith, J. Brown and S. Young.

Mr. S. YOUNG offered the following, which was adopted.

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be and they are hereby instructed to enquire into the expediency and propriety of passing a law authorizing the Governor of the State, in his discretion, to commute the punishment of death for imprisonment in the Jail and Penitentiary of this Commonwealth for and during the natural life of such persons as may hereafter be convicted of any capital offence under the laws of this Commonwealth, and that such enquiry shall embrace the slave, free negro and mulatto, as well as the free white population of the State, and that they report by bill or otherwise.

To Mr. QUARLES, a bill to condemn certain lands for railroad purposes, in Pulaski county; referred.

Mr. PRATT offered the following, which was adopted.

Resolved, That the use of this Hall is tendered this evening to the Northern Kentucky Temperance Union, for the purpose of having an address delivered before that society by the Rev. D. J. Flournoy.

Mr. BAILEY, a bill to incorporate the Amelia Female Seminary in Shelby county; referred.

To Mr. HARRIS, a bill to abolish capital punishment; referred.

To Mr. HUGHES, a bill to amend an act to appoint commissioners to survey the State road from Morganfield to Smithland; referred.

Mr. WHITE, a bill to repeal in part and amend in part, the rioting law; referred.

Also, a bill to repeal the liquor law; referred.

Mr. WOOLSEY offered the following:

Resolved, That hereafter this House will meet at nine o'clock in the morning of each day.

Mr. HANSON moved to amend by striking out 9, and inserting 7 1/2.

Mr. HAGGARD moved to insert 5.

A division being called, the question was first on striking out, which the House refused to do.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

Mr. WOOSLEY called the yeas and nays.

Mr. TOWLES moved a call of the House.

Mr. CHRISTOPHER moved an adjournment, which was carried.

#### For the Commonwealth

### CONVENTION MEETING.

At an adjourned meeting of the friends of a Convention, held in the Representative Hall in Frankfort, on Thursday night, 28th day of January, 1848, pursuant to adjournment:

The meeting was called to order by WILLIS G. HUGHES, and on his motion, the Hon. JOHN L. HELM was unanimously chosen Chairman.

On motion of Thomas D. Brown, Esq., Willis G. Hughes was unanimously chosen Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Geo. W. Williams, further time, until the next meeting, was granted the committee to draft an address to the people of Kentucky on the subject of calling a Convention, to make their report.

Dr. David R. Haggard, from the committee appointed, made the following report, which together with the preamble and resolutions, were unanimously adopted:

The undersigned, committee appointed at the meeting of the Convention members of the Legislature, on the evening of the — inst., present their views first, as to the propriety of sustaining a Convention newspaper at the seat of Government:

Whenever a question of magnitude arises, even in ordinary administration of the laws, those who are interested are consulted, and they, whose rights it is to decide, must be informed if a correct determination be sought. In our judgment, nothing is of greater moment, at this time, than the re-vision of the constitution of the State, upon which we are of opinion the future prospects of the people of this State is materially dependant. It is conceded by all, that newspapers contribute to the success or defeat of any debatable question; as through them comparisons are made of the ideas and arguments of various persons, and time afforded to distinguish truth from error. It is obvious that a paper devoted to the promotion of knowledge on one topic, would be much more serviceable than of a miscellaneous, or of a general political character. Like divisions of labour in the multiplicity of social affairs, he is more apt to be skillful in his business, who directs his attention exclusively to one subject or occupation, than one who engages in many.

Therefore, we have come to the conclusion that the friends of a Convention should sustain a Convention paper, at the seat of Government, for the purpose of advocating a re-vision of the Constitution of Kentucky. Secondly, that we believe it to be their duty to sustain the Convention paper established in Frankfort, and edited by R. C. McKee, Esq., who, during the past year has devoted his time, almost exclusively to the discussion of the question. That the friends of the cause were well satisfied with the manner in which it was conducted, and that it contributed materially to its success at the last election; and therefore, have assurance that it will be conducted in like manner, and with like good effect; therefore we offer the following resolutions:

1. Resolved, That it is indispensable in the opinion of this meeting, that the friends of a Convention should sustain an organ to advocate the calling of a Convention, and through which to disseminate their views to the country, in order to maintain harmony and to promote the success of the question.

2. Resolved, That to aid in sustaining said paper, each Convention member of the Legislature subscribe and pay for ten copies of the Convention, to be distributed among his constituents.

3. Resolved, That we recommend that the friends of a Convention, generally, and especially our respective constituents, to subscribe for, and procure subscribers to said paper, and forward the same to the editor.

D. R. HAGGARD, Ch'm.

On motion of Thos. Towles, Jr. Esq., the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to address to the Hon. Ben. Hardin, an invitation requesting him to be present at the adjourned meeting of the friends of a Convention here assembled, and to address such meeting, and that the committee report at such meeting.

Whereupon, the Chairman appointed Thomas Towles, Jr., George W. Williams and A. W. Hamilton as said committee.

The meeting was then adjourned until 7 1/2 o'clock on the 10th day of February next.

JOHN L. HELM, Ch'm.

WILLIS G. HUGHES, Sec'y.

#### For the Commonwealth.

### WHIG MEETING IN FRANKLIN.

At a large meeting of the Whigs of Franklin, held at the Court House in Frankfort, on the 29th January, Hon. BEN. MONROE was called to the Chair and P. SWIGERT was appointed Secretary. The Chairman explained the object of the meeting to be for the selection of delegates to represent the wishes of the Whigs of Franklin county, in the Gubernatorial Convention to be held in Frankfort on the 22d day of February next.

W. D. REED, Esq., moved to postpone the meeting, which motion was overruled, with but one dissenting voice.

Mr. ROBERT W. SCOTT moved that a committee of five be appointed to draft resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting, and to suggest to the meeting the names of delegates. The following gentlemen were appointed on said committee: R. W. Scott, James Harlan, John Macklin, H. B. Innis and P. Dillon, who retired, and after a few moments returned and reported through their chairman. Mr. Scott, the following resolutions, which were adopted, with but one or two dissenting voices.

Resolved, That the Whigs of this county have the utmost confidence in the ability and patriotism of Col. C. S. TODD, that they have long known him as a neighbor and a friend, and if they had the power to make him Governor, he is their decided preference, and they recommend him to the Whigs of the State for that office. But if he should not be thought the available candidate by the Whig Convention then assembled in Frankfort on the 22d February next, then we recommend as the choice of the Whigs of this county, the Hon. A. DIXON, having full confidence in his Whig principles, as well as in his ability, honesty and integrity to discharge, in a manner honorable to himself and to the State of Kentucky, the high and important duties belonging to, and appertaining to the office of Governor of this Commonwealth.

Resolved, That the delegation from this county to said Convention, consist of 27, and that the following gentlemen be appointed, viz: Wm. Hall, W. M. Todd, A. W. Dudley, Horace Sullivan, R. W. Scott, James Milam, Jno. J. Vest, J. J. Julian, Jos. Clark, O. Lynn, R. K. Woodson, Dennis Onan, Jr., A. G. Cammack, L. W. Macey, Sam. Steele, Jno. Macklin, Capt. J. A. Holton, Jno. Morris, R. T. P. Allen, Jas. Harlan, R. Sacy, Jephtha D. Robinson, Moses Hawkins, John R. Gay, Franklin Dillon, James Sullivan, Wm. T. Herndon.

And then the meeting adjourned.

BEN. MONROE, President.

P. SWIGERT, Sec'y.

#### For the Commonwealth.

### WHIG MEETING IN GRAYSON.

At a meeting of the Whigs of Grayson county held at the Court House in Litchfield on Monday, the 24th day of January, 1848, (it being Court day) for the purpose of appointing delegates to the Whig Convention, to be held at Frankfort on the 22nd day of February, 1848, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of Governor and Lieut. Governor.

On motion, WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM, Esq., was called to the Chair, and the house being called to order the Chairman explained the object of the meeting.

On motion of Wm. L. Conklin, Jack Thomas was appointed Secretary; and on motion of Charles Wortham it was then

Resolved, That Jack Thomas, Aaron Stone, John Rogers, Henry Litsey, John J. Thurman, Wm. L. Conklin and Charles Wortham, be appointed a committee to nominate a delegation to the Whig Convention to be held at Frankfort on the 22nd of February, and draft resolutions relative thereto. Whereupon the committee reported the following resolutions:

1. Resolved, That ARCHIBALD DIXON is the choice of this meeting for the office of Governor, and JOHN L. HELM for Lieut. Governor.

2. Resolved, That this meeting will use all fair and honorable means in support of the nominees of said Convention.

3. Resolved, That William Brunk, Charles Wortham, Wm. G. Bowman, L. J. Talbot, Wm. Cunningham, Sr., Henry Litsey, Wm. C. Wortham, John J. Thurman, Joseph Wilson, A. S. Bishop, D. G. Brown, Moses Dunn, Aaron Stone, Robt. Goode, Benj. L. Rogers, Jack Thomas, Jack Hayse, Saml. Hackley, Edwin Thomas, J. H. Thomas, Willis Green, A. C. McBeath, W. L. Conklin, Rob. Heston and John G. Claggett be appointed a delegation to attend said Convention.

4. Resolved, That the delegates are authorized to fill any vacancies that may occur.







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Mr. W. Secore, Esq., of Philadelphia, has spent over three thousand dollars for medicine and medical attendance. I was advised to take a tour to Europe, which I did. I first visited England, I consulted the most eminent Physicians there in respect to his case, they examined him and prescribed accordingly. I remained there three months without receiving any change for the better, which cost me about two hundred and fifty dollars, pocketed by the physicians, and the most I received was their opinion that my son's case was hopeless, and positively incurable. Accordingly I left England, and traveled through Scotland, Germany and France, and returned home in the month of November last, with my son as before, and in the month of January, I saw your advertisement in one of the New York papers, and concluded to try Hart's Vegetable Extract, seeing your statements and certificates of so many cures, some of twenty and thirty years' standing, and I am sure you will do me no wrong, as by the use of Hart's Vegetable Extract alone, he was restored to perfect health. His reason, which was so far gone as to quit him for business, is entirely restored, with his weight now before him, of life, health and usefulness. He is now 27 years of age, and 27 years and 6 months of this time has been afflicted with this most dreadful of diseases; but thank God, he is now enjoying good health.

Now, continue your faith without works I don't believe in. To say that I shall be ever grateful to you is one thing, and as I have enclosed you one hundred dollars, I have no doubt but that you will think this a small offering for the relief of your fellow man. I will send you one more, please accept this amount as interest on the debt in advance. Yours, very respectfully,

(Signed) WILLIAM SECORE.

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I subscribe myself, yours, sincerely,

W. L. MONROE, M.D.

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They avail themselves of this occasion to tender to the friends and patrons of the Institution their grateful acknowledgments for the timely aid which their liberality and philanthropy have afforded, and which has been the means of saving from entire loss, an institution which has already done so much to advance the standard of Literature and Science, and to confer their blessings upon many, some of whom are now in the enjoyment of a liberal and useful education, to prepare themselves for future usefulness in an elevated sphere.

They take this occasion to say, that the doors of this Institution have never been closed against the poor, because of their poverty. They sincerely hope that no necessity may ever exist to compel a different course.

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Done by order of the Board, at Harrodsburg, the 5th day of January, 1848. SAM'L AYRES, Clerk, pro tem.

**South Frankfort Livery Stable.**

ROBERT E. FINNELL.

HAS taken for a term of years, the large Frame Factory of John C. Herndon, and is now fitting it out for the accommodation of those who may give him a call. He will give close attention, and hopes to give a part of the public patronage.

For keeping Horses, by the month, \$50 00 By the week, 5 00 By the day, 1 37 By the single night, 25 Sheds for Vehicles or Horses for safety. Every description of Produce taken in payment.

N. B. Ploughing Lots attended to during the season. South Frankfort, January 14, 1848.

**Steam Engine for Sale.**

I WILL SELL a small STEAM ENGINE, nearly new, on very accommodating terms. It is 6 1/2 inch Cylinder, 16 inches stroke, and all apparatus necessary for moving Machinery, except Boiler. It may be seen at my Steam Plank Dressing Manufactory, on Wilkinson street, near Judge Brown's. Any person wishing an Engine, would do well to call on me before purchasing elsewhere. JACOB BEAVERSON. Frankfort, January 4, 1848.

"Secure the Shadow ere the Substance Fade."

**Colored Daguerreotype Portraits.**

W. H. McCONKIN, having just returned from New York and Philadelphia, with the late improvements in the art, offers his professional services to the citizens of Frankfort and vicinity. Ladies and gentlemen are invited to call and see specimens.

Rooms on Ann Street, opposite the Weisiger House, over Dr. Crutcher's Drug Store. January 6, 1848.

Frankfort Advertisements.

**LOOK AT THIS BEFORE YOU BUY.**

**NEW STOCK OF FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS, JUST RECEIVED.**

**BACHELOR & ROBERTSON.**

No. 4, Swigert's Row, St. Clair Street, Frankfort, Ky. ARE now in full receipt of their LARGE and WELL SELECTED STOCK OF

**DRY GOODS,**

embracing every variety and style of Goods, suited to the present and approaching season. Also, A FINE STOCK OF

Queensware, Caps, Ladies' Shoes, &c. &c.

Constantly on hand every STYLE and VARIETY of GOODS usually kept in DRY GOODS HOUSES. The above are all of the best quality, and at the lowest prices. We respectfully invite them, and purchasers generally, to call and examine OUR STOCK BEFORE MAKING THEIR PURCHASES. We pledge ourselves to sell as low as the market, to all who are sincere in their custom.

All kinds of Country Goods and Produce taken in exchange for Goods at Cash Price.

Frankfort, October 17th, 1847—723—by

**GENERAL AGENT.**

WILLIAM F. LEATHERS, General Newspaper Agent, and Collector of every description of Claims placed in his hands.

RESPECTFULLY informs those requiring such services performed, that he will take charge of any claims for collection in Kentucky, whether for Newspapers, Lawyers, Merchants, or Clerks. He will ride constantly, and during the season visit every part of the State, and make faithful and prompt returns.

REFER TO—J. Swigert, J. C. Herndon, Esq., Frankfort, Ky. A. G. HODGES, Esq., Butler Street, Frankfort, Ky. William Tanner, 733—11

**CAPITAL HALL,**

Corner St. Clair Street and Broadway, Frankfort.

**A. G. DILLON.**

RESPECTFULLY informs the public and the Members of the Legislature, that he has purchased the above establishment, and is prepared to furnish gentlemen with every luxury of the season.

**OSTERS, BIRDS, FISH, EGGS, &c. &c.** Frankfort, January 1, 1848.

**Frankfort Clothing Store.**

J. G. F. GRIMME.

RESPECTFULLY informs the public for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and solicits a continuance of the same. He has on hand a large and well selected Stock of

**Ready Made Clothing.**

Which he sells as cheap as the same articles can be bought in Cincinnati or Louisville.

He has on hand a large quantity of GOODS, suitable for Gentlemen's wear; and having engaged the services of Mr. L. A. SPANGENBURG, an experienced Tailor, he can make any Garment, in the newest and most fashionable style.

His establishment is in DUDLEY'S CORNER ROOM, immediately opposite the Store of Ferguson & Macklin, and the Old Bank.

Frankfort, January 13, 1848.

**GROCERIES, &c.**

**LOOK OUT FOR GOOD BARGAINS!!**

WE invite the especial attention of our friends in the town and country, and others visiting our town, to an examination of our **STOCK OF GROCERIES, &c.** Those wishing really good and cheap articles in our line, will do well to give us a call. We have now on hand a large lot of GROCERIES—and a considerable quantity of staple DRY GOODS, &c., consisting in part of,

Coffee, Sugar, Spices, Rice, Butter, Peppers, Dried Peaches, Meal, &c. &c.

Also—HATS, CAPS, &c.; BOOTS AND SHOES; SPUN COTTON, CASSIMERES, CASSINETS, VESTINGS, &c.

All of which we will sell or barter for all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, on as good terms as any other regular House in town.

READING & WILLIAMS, Broadway, opposite the Capital Square. Frankfort, January 30, 1848—178

**ROUGH AND READY HANDKERCHIEFS.**

JUST received a beautiful assortment, (all colors) of the above article, made entirely by hand, in Kentucky. With a beautiful Portrait of the Old Hero. Price \$1. For sale by

BACHELOR & ROBERTSON, January 18, 1848—1511 No. 4, St. Clair Street.

**House and Sign Painting.**

HAVING secured the services of J. ATKINSON, one of the best workmen in the West, I am now prepared to do all kinds of Imitations of Woods and Marbles, Signs, Banners, and Transparencies, Nautical, Old Fashions and Sons of Temperance. Also, all kinds of House, Steam Boat and Ornamental Painting. As I am determined to employ none but the best workmen, and will warrant every job to be done in the best manner and of good material, I solicit a share of patronage. I will attend to all finances and contracting, and will give satisfaction, and at Cincinnati prices.

Frankfort Jan. 19, 1848—168 H. G. BANTA.

**Frankfort Female Seminary,**

**UNDER THE CHARGE OF MR. & MRS. NOLD.**

THE next Session will commence on the 1st Monday of February next, and continue twenty weeks.

The patronage the Institution has received since its establishment, has been such as to render the permanency of it certain; and Mr. & Mrs. N. trust that the experience of more than thirteen years' constant teaching, will enable them to afford facilities for the improvement of our Ladies, and to secure for them a liberal and useful education. Therefore, in their appeal to the public for patronage, they feel confident that they can render entire satisfaction to those who may entrust them with the education of their daughters.

Pupils entering after the commencement of the Session, will be charged from the time of entrance to the close of the Session, but no deduction will be made for absence except in cases of protracted illness.

**Terms, per Session of 20 weeks.** (One half to be paid in advance.) English branches, \$12, \$15 and \$20 00 Music, Drawing and Painting, each, 10 00 Boarding, Washing, &c., 50 00

REFER TO—Gov. Wm. Owensley, Rev. J. J. Bullock, John W. Finnell, Esq., Hon. James Harlan, Col. James Davidson, Judge Ben. Monroe, Hon. B. W. Owensley, Esq. Gov. T. Metcalfe, L. Broadhead, Esq.

January 4, 1848—767-11

**DENTISTRY.**

**DRS. MAJOR & WARNER, Resident Dentists,**

RESPECTFULLY tender their services to the citizens of Frankfort and its vicinity, in the various branches of their profession—such as the CLEANSING, FILLING, EXTRACTING AND INSERTION OF TEETH.

For the insertion of Teeth on Plate, no charge will be made unless entire satisfaction is given; and the public may rest assured that no exertions will be spared to render all of their operations as skillful as possible.

N. B. Persons are requested to call and have their Teeth examined free of charge. Specimens of work always open for inspection.

Office on the corner of Main and Ann Streets, over Dr. Crutcher's Drug Store.

Frankfort, March 16, 1847—733-by

**DOCTORS PRICE & KEENE.**

WILL give their undivided attention to the practice of Medicine, in Frankfort and its vicinity. Residence and office on Main Street, immediately opposite Dr. Lloyd's Drug Store, and one door below James Barnes' Grocery Store.

June 9, 1846—713-11

**DOCTORS PHYTHIAN & WATSON.**

HAVE this day associated themselves in the practice of PHYSIC and SURGERY.

**DOCTOR PHYTHIAN** will give his chief attention to Surgery, Ophthalmics and Diseases of Women and Children—branches of the profession in which he has been extensively engaged for eighteen years. He is a Licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons (London), and was for four years a dresser in St. Thomas' Hospital, under Sir Astley Cooper. Office on St. Clair Street, near the Bridge.

Frankfort, Kentucky, January 1, 1847

**Fresh Family Flour.**

20 BBLs. fresh Family Flour, a prime article, in store and for sale by

[Jan. 18, 1848.] GRAY & GEORGE.

**Notions.**

PURSES, Pocket Books, Purse Silk, Rings, Steel Beads and Tassels, Combs, Hair and Shaving Brushes, Pen Cases, Wax, &c., for sale at

JANUARY 6. TODD'S BOOKSTORE.

Frankfort Advertisements.

**"THE KENTUCKY JUSTICE."**

**A GUIDE TO JUSTICES, CLERKS, SHERIFFS, &c.**

CONTAINING THE office and authority of Justices of the Peace; the duties of Clerks, Sheriffs, Constables, Jailors, Coroners and Escheators, in the State of Kentucky, whether arising under the Common or Statute Law of the State, or of the Laws of the United States.

TO WHICH IS ADDED, AN APPENDIX, Containing approved forms for Deeds of Bargain and Sale, Leases, Mortgages, Bills of Sale, Powers of Attorney, &c.

[That branch of the work in relation to Justices of the Peace, being a fourth edition of the "Kentucky Justice," by Jacob SWIGERT, Esq., revised and amended by JOHN C. HERNDON, Esq., is sold separately at the price of 25 cents.]

[This work is now ready for delivery at the counting room of the Commonwealth, and can also be had at Charles S. Bodley & Co's, Lexington; W. M. Todd's, Frankfort; Morton & Griswold's, Louisville; Lewis Collins', Maysville; Lily & Walker's, Paris. Price, with 3d period, 10 cents.]

[Where ten persons will club and remit us Thirty dollars we will forward Ten copies, by the Carriers of the public books. We will have them well and carefully packed.]

Frankfort, Ky., 1847. A. G. HODGES & Co.

**ANOTHER ARRIVAL**

**GREAT WESTERN CLOTHING STORE.**

The best bargains ever offered in this Market.

**THE LARGEST STOCK OF READY-MADE CLOTHING**

Ever brought to Frankfort.

**SOLOMON WEILER & Co.,**

At the Great Western Fashionable Clothing Store, No. 3, Brown's building, and one door below the Commonwealth Office, St. Clair Street, Frankfort, Ky., have the pleasure of announcing another arrival of very superior Clothing of the latest style, and made of very superior Goods. Their stock of Goods is selected by one of the firm with great care, and were manufactured into garments under the supervision of an experienced Tailor, so that they are able to recommend the Clothing without fear of future reproach. They wish to make rapid sales and are willing to sell at a very small profit, believing that "a nimble shaver is a shaver."

Their stock consists of Cloaks, a la mode; Frocks and Dress Coats of superior English and French Cloth, Beaver and Pilot Cloth Coats; Blanket Coats; French Cassimere Buckskin Coats; Dress Cassimere and James Coats; Sack Coats of every variety and at almost all prices. Vests of every variety and style, and at prices to suit the times; Cloth, Cassimere, Cassinet, and James Pantaloons of all sizes and patterns; Linen Shirts made to order; various prices and styles; Hats and Caps; Drawers and Under Shirts; Gloves; Cravats; Handkerchiefs; Fancy Scarves, &c. &c., of the latest and most fashionable styles.

Also, a stock of Superior Traveling Trunks, which they will sell on good terms.

S. W. & Co., grateful for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon them, and desiring to continue a continuance of that patronage by strict attention to the wants of the people, and by supplying neither prices nor expense to supply those wants. They intend to keep at all times, a large and well selected stock of cheap; they therefore invite all to call at their establishment before they purchase elsewhere.

Frankfort, Ky., October 19, 1847—784-6m.

**LIFE INSURANCE.**

**NAUTILUS (MUTUAL LIFE) INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 29, WALL STREET, NEW YORK.**

THIS Company, which confines its business exclusively to Life Insurance, has now been in operation two years and a half, during which period it has received 152 policies for the first eighteen months it experienced no loss. Its losses for the whole time have been less than \$18,000—leaving an accumulation of about \$65,000 on hand, beyond the payment of claims and expenses. This accumulation will be used to pay for the first eighteen months it experienced no loss. Its losses for the whole time have been less than \$18,000—leaving an accumulation of about \$65,000 on hand, beyond the payment of claims and expenses.

For policies granted for the whole term of life, when the premium thereon amounts to \$50—a note for 40 per cent with interest at 6 per cent—without guaranty, may be received in part payment, and for which scrip certificates will be issued, leaving the dividends to accumulate—the policy will be fully paid for, and the accumulation ultimately added to the policy.

For policies granted for the whole term of life, when the premium thereon amounts to \$50—a note for 40 per cent with interest at 6 per cent—without guaranty, may be received in part payment, and for which scrip certificates will be issued, leaving the dividends to accumulate—the policy will be fully paid for, and the accumulation ultimately added to the policy.

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